

Wm. J. Dotter
 Geo. D. Bones.
 Diamonds Watches
 & Jewelry.
 1837 Columbia Ave. Phila.

Mar. 22nd 1893.

U. S. Mint,
 Philada
 Sirs:-

We beg to ask if there is
 not some mistake in
 memo. herewith.

On the 20th inst., we sent
 you 22½ oz. of gold and silver,
 divided up of 7 oz of gold
 and 15½ oz. silver. Out of
 the 7 oz or 140 part of gold
 85 part was made up of
 three gold watch cases, which
 were tested by two or three
 gold buyers as 18 K. This
 would amount to \$61.20 for
 the cases, which would let



the balance, according to your valuation, of 55 oz. at less than 8.00 for same, or less than 15¢ per oz., when on an average run, our gold scraps run between 40¢ to 50¢ per oz.

We certainly feel there must be some mistake, as the facts given certainly do not agree with the result.

Kindly look into the matter for us. We would not be so positive, but we took particular care to go over the ground before sending to you.

Respy. Wm. C. Crotter

NARA RG104, Entry 1, Box 180

Whe. J.C. Dotter
Successors to Geo. D. Bones
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M.C. J.C. Dotter